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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

Applicants hereby petition for extension of time for Response from September 27, 2006 to December 27, 2006. The period involved is **three (3) months**. Check No. 74956, covering the the required extension fee of \$1020.00, is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure: Fee for Three (3) Month Extension and Postal Card Receipt

THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY FURTHER OR ADDITIONAL FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED (DUE TO OMISSION, DEFICIENCY, OR OTHERWISE), OR TO CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT, TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 08,3220.